Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, The National Association of Letter Carriers (NALC) is celebrating its centennial in 1989--this year marks 100 years of "Delivering For America;" and,

WHEREAS, The NALC is also Celebrating the Century with South Dakota; and,

WHEREAS, As part of the year-long centennial celebration, a giant three foot by five foot envelope will go on a six month, 37,654-mile journey to all 50 states and Puerto Rico starting in March in Washington, D.C., and ending in August in Milwaukee, Wisconsin; and,

WHEREAS, At each stop, NALC officials from throughout the state will join with local Postal Service officials and government, civic and labor leaders in observing the Centennial, and a special postmark will be added to the envelope at each location; and,

WHEREAS, The Centennial Envelope will be at the Main Post Office Building (South Lobby Area) in Sioux Falls on Thursday, July 20, at 11 a.m.; and,

WHEREAS, When completed, this envelope will represent the partnership by NALC's membership and the Postal Service that has allowed our nation's mail delivery system to be the most efficient and cost-effective in the world:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim July 20, 1989, as

LETTER CARRIER DAY

in South Dakota.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-Sixth Day of April, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Nine

GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

JOYCE HAZELTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE